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SHAWNEE VICTORIOUS

In a Very Poorly Played
Game.

TWELVE TO TWO

Tells the Tale of What
They Handed to Us.

Logan's Nemesis must have blossomed into twins, and both were on duty Sunday. The lining was walloped out of the local team in a manner calculated to provoke tears. The visitors seemed to have things all their own way from the beginning, and trotted around the bases till you couldn't rest. There were not a great many errors, but almost every man on the Logan team was "groggy," and none of them, with the possible exception of ubiquitous Buntz, played up to their average. Some of the work was positively rank, and yet there was just a concatenation of loose playing, without any assignable errors. Shawnee, on the other hand, put up a fine, stiff game, and every man on their team made good, both in stickwork and in play.

The game opened at 2:30 with Livingston in the box for Logan, and for the first two innings the prospects were good. The first man up, T. Meredith fouled to Canty, and Locke fanned; Goodman then sent a long low fly to right center, which Spencer misjudged and ran under, the runner got to second and was making good headway for third, when Buntz, to whom Lytle fielded the ball, threw wild to third, and Goodman trotted home. The next man up grounded to Buntz. There was nothing discouraging about the inning; it seemed more like a little luck than anything else, for when Spencer don't get his it is something unusual. In the second Shawnee scored nothing, and Logan got the same in the first two.

The third opened with a single by Miller; the next man got first on a play to second; T. Meredith singled; Locke then rapped one that hit the left center fence, and put Spencer out of business for a few minutes. He made a noble run for the fly, and came near getting it, but ran into the fence, bruising his face badly. While Webb was attending to him the three men scored. Two put-outs followed. Logan, in their half,

scored another cipher, Livingston getting the first hit off Meredith in the game.

The fourth inning was a simple succession of dire happenings. Yoast, first up, got first on balls, Williams, Moton and Miller singled in quick succession, and Meredith was passed to first. Another single by T. Meredith ended the scoring and fortune came to the aid of the Queen City long enough to get three outs. In Logan's half, Webb singled, and scored the first run on a passed ball.

Two more singles and two bases on balls went Shawnee's way in the fifth, with two additional runs.

Davy Williams went in the box for Logan in the sixth, and successfully stemmed the tide of Shawnee's slugging, allowing three hits in the last four innings. Shawnee scored two runs in the eighth on errors and general looseness.

The score.
SHAWNEE AB R H PO A E
T. Meredith, rf 5 2 2 1 0 1
Locke, 3b 5 2 1 4 2 0
Goodman, c 5 1 0 3 1 0
Steward, 2b 5 0 0 3 2 1
Yoast, lf 3 2 1 1 0 0
Williams, 1b 5 2 2 13 0 0
Moton, ss 4 1 1 1 4 1
Miller, cf 5 1 4 1 0 0
J. Meredith, p 4 1 1 0 4 0
Total 40 12 12 27 13 3

LOGAN AB R H PO A E
Buntz, ss 4 0 1 2 5 1
Webb, lf 4 2 1 0 0 0
Spencer, cf 4 0 0 3 1 1
Beck, 1b 4 0 1 11 1 0
Camp, 2b 4 0 0 0 1 1
Lytle, rf 4 0 0 0 0 0
Kleins' th, 3b 3 0 0 2 3 0
Canty, c 3 0 1 8 0 0
Livingston, p 2 0 1 0 0 3
Williams, p 1 0 0 1 1 1
Total 33 2 5 27 15 4

Score by innings:
1 2 3 4 5 6 7 8 9
Shawnee 1 0 3 4 2 0 0 2 0—12
Logan 0 0 0 1 0 1 0 0 0—2

NOTES.
Home run: Locke. Sacrifice hits: Spencer, Canty. Struck out: By Meredith, two; by Livingston, four; by Williams, three. Base on balls: Off Livingston, four. Hit by pitched ball: By Williams, one. Passed ball: Canty, one; Goodman, two. Wild pitch: Williams, one. Stolen bases: T. Meredith (2), Locke (3), Yoast (2), Williams. Umpire: Stultz. Time: 1 hr. 40 min.

Logan went into this game with the strongest team they have had in the field this season. Something was wrong, besides the fact that they were up against a strong aggregation. The whole team was more or less dippy.

Meredith, Shawnee's twirler, pitched an excellent game. There seemed to be no trouble at all in

hitting him, but they couldn't get the ball out of the diamond. Only two men were fanned by him, but very little hard hitting was done.

The Shawnee boys certainly demonstrated their base-stealing qualities. Several credited to them, though, were due to the pervading insanity of their opponents. Canty's arm was in good shape. Livingston slowed up several times in his delivery with disastrous results in this respect.

Buntz had not lost his great form of a week previous. His throwing to first, mostly from deep short, was the prettiest feature of the game, and about the only creditable one. He made five assists to Beck, and every one was a large, rosy, lucious peach. Buntz is generally all over the infield. That is why we call him The Ubiquitous.

Spencer showed his nerve in the most approved style. His countenance hit the left field fence with a resounding crash that was easily heard in the grand stand. He was down and out for about fifteen minutes, but he finished the game with three put-outs after his accident. At the bat he was away below his usual capacity. In which respect he sized up well with the rest of the team.

Miller, center for Shawnee, put up a slugging exhibition. He singled on the first four times up, and was only prevented from making it five, in the ninth, by some quick work by Williams. Davy covered first while Beck fielded the ball.

Now we confidently predict that the next game Logan goes into will be far above this, if the team is as good as now. There is, after all, a vast psychological phase of base-ball, which often determines the fate of a team, and it will eventually count for Logan, if they are not weakened in some other way. And remember that "The Devil loveth a cheerful knocker."

Supt. Martzolf Resigns.

The closing of the schools at this place ends Supt. C. L. Martzolf's connection therewith, he having resigned to accept a place in the Ohio University. Supt. Martzolf has reason to feel proud of the showing made by the New Lexington schools during the time he has had charge of them. He has succeeded in placing the high school among the first-class and has at all times given the institution his best thought and efforts. Mr. Martzolf is an instructor of recognized ability and is bound to succeed in his chosen profession. New Lexington is exceedingly sorry to lose Mr. and Mrs. Martzolf.—New Lexington Herald.

Favors Gabriel.

(Athens Messenger and Herald.)

The board of trustees of the Athens State Hospital held a regular monthly session at the hospital Thursday. Hon. Chris McKee, the new member from Noble county, arrived at noon to attend his first meeting with the board. Nothing but the regular routine business of the institution was taken up today.

A number of applications for the stewardship were presented, but no action was taken.

Among the candidates for Mr. Carpenter's place are Jesse W. Gabriel of Logan, George Osborne of Washington, C. H. Campbell of Marietta, J. A. Kiener of Moxahala and a Noble county man whose name had not been presented at this writing.

If local sentiment would cut any figure Jesse W. Gabriel would receive the appointment when the time comes. He is a native of Athens county, and grew to manhood in this city. He is a young man of sterling qualities, honest, and commands the highest regard of all who know him. He has made his own way in the business world without any other assistance than an indomitable disposition to succeed. For a number of years he has been engaged in the manufacture of cigars in Logan and by close application to business, fair dealing and plenty of hustle he has built up a flourishing trade. Many young men under more favorable circumstances have failed where Mr. Gabriel has made a pronounced success. He is popular both here and at his home in Logan in business as well as political circles.

Without any intended disparagement of any other candidate, leaving sentiment entirely in the back ground, it seems to be the universal verdict among people who have known him all of his life, that the board could not select a more capable, efficient or popular man than Jesse W. Gabriel.

Million in Gas Suit.

Springfield, Ohio, May 16.—A suit involving \$1,003,813, is pending in the United States court for Southern Ohio. The plaintiff is the Great Southern Gas and Oil company and the defendant the Logan Natural Gas and Fuel company. The latter has the contract for supplying Newark, Ironton, Ashland and a dozen other Ohio towns with natural gas. Because defendant drilled in a big well on land leased by the plaintiff, and used the gas therefrom to meet its contracts, the sum mentioned is claimed.

General B. R. Cowen, special master, found that the Logan company had been guilty of knowingly confusing and blending its own gas with gas from the well of the

other company, and therefore, under the rule of law relating to the confusion of goods held that the Logan company was bound to pay over the entire value of all the gas sold by the company during the time that its supply pipe was connected with the well to which it had no right. The amount is as given above. The defendant is protesting against the ward, asserting that it is equivalent to confiscation. Many noted attorneys, including Congressman Charles H. Grosvenor, have been retained in the case.

Judge Wright for Congress.

"Our distinguished Democrat, Mr. Daugherty, positively declines to have his name conjured with in connection with the congressional nomination in our district," remarked Judge J. G. Reeves, of Lancaster, Ohio, who was at the Hotel Honing, "and public attention appears to be centering upon Judge Oliver Wright of Logan, as the man to lead the Democratic cohorts against Mr. Douglas, the Republican nominee, of Chillicothe. If Judge Wright is nominated he will make it very warm for Mr. Douglas, for Republican politics is not as serene in the Eleventh District as it might be since the 'Sage of Athens,' General Grosvenor, was thrown down, and the Judge is very popular in his district—even stronger than his party."—Cin. Enquirer.

Includes Hocking Valley.

While the Hocking Valley Railway company operates wholly within Ohio, it is believed that it will come under the operation of law which will prohibit transportation companies from owning and operating plants or mines which produce the commodities which they transport.

It is no secret that the Sunday Creek company is owned by the Hocking Valley and at first it was supposed that operating entirely within the state the national law would not affect the relationship. However, it is now thought that making interstate shipments of coal will bring the Hocking Valley under the terms of the law and it is expected that soon a method will be worked out by which the railroad and coal companies will be divorced so as to comply with the law.

If the Hocking Valley takes over the K. & M., it will become an interstate road and there will be no question as to its liability under the act. The Eastern coal roads are now considering a plan by which the coal stocks held by them will be distributed pro rata among their stockholders.

Births and Deaths for the Past Year.

From the reports filed in the office of F. P. Martin, Probate Judge, by the twenty-one assessors of the county, we abstract the following mortality statistics, which cover the period from April 1, 1905, to April 30, 1906:

	BIRTHS		DEATHS	
	MALES	FEMALES	MALES	FEMALES
Logan, First Ward,	6	6	2	1
Logan, Second Ward,	4	6	1	1
Logan, Third Ward,	13	9	5	4
Logan, Fourth Ward,	14	8	2	2
Perry Twp., First Precinct,	8	12	4	4
Perry Twp., Second Precinct,	7	13	1	4
Ward Twp., First Precinct,	36	25	13	13
Ward Twp., Murray City Precinct,	25	29	7	9
Ward Twp., Jobs Precinct,	32	31	10	7
Green Twp., First Precinct,	9	6	3	5
Green Twp., Second Precinct,	12	9	7	2
Green Twp., Third Precinct,	1	1	0	0
Falls Twp.,	13	8	1	5
Washington Twp.,	7	6	0	1
Starr Twp.,	15	16	6	2
Good Hope Twp.,	20	15	5	4
Salt Creek Twp.,	24	22	10	8
Benton Twp.,	10	14	5	8
Falls-Fors Twp.,	7	6	3	2
Mariou Twp.,	19	14	6	5
Laurel Twp.,	12	9	3	4
Totals	294	268	94	94

Must Buy Tickets.

Pursuant to an order issued from the Central Passenger association cash fares on railroads in Ohio will be ten cents higher than published tariffs, from this on. The excuse given for this action is that, because of the operation of the new two cent fare law, a great many people are paying fares on the train and not buying tickets. This is causing conductors a great deal of trouble and extra work and the charge is made to discourage the practice as much as possible.

The conductor will give each passenger paying the cash fare a rebate check calling for ten cents and this will be redeemed upon presentation at any railroad station in the state.

Still another effect of the law was noticeable at Chicago recently, when the Central Passenger association turned down all requests from Ohio for reduced fares to conventions. In substance the railroads are telling the people of Ohio: "You have made your bed, now you must lie in it." The G. A. R. and the Ohio Teachers' association were the largest bodies asking for rates.

Everyone has heard of the Apollo Club Concert Company. Their recital here, June 5 will be an unusual attraction.

The newspaper is a law book for the indolent, a sermon for the thoughtless, a library for the poor and an admonisher for the lawless. It may stimulate the most indifferent, but it cannot be published without cost and sent free to subscribers. This is no joke.—Ex.

Favors Donahue.

The Perry county friends and admirers of Circuit Judge M. H. Donahue are loyal to his candidacy for re-nomination. The Democratic county executive committee has adopted a resolution of support and endorsement and has also granted Judge Donahue the privilege and courtesy of allowing him to select his own delegates to the judicial convention.—Zanesville Signal.

A treat for four hundred—no more—will be the address by Dr. Stafford, of Washington, D. C., on "Hamlet," Friday evening, June 15.

Wedding of Miss McCarthy.

The marriage of Miss Idene McCarthy and Mr. A. Lee Wilson will take place this evening at 6 o'clock at the home of the bride's mother at Washington, Pa.

Miss McCarthy is well-known in Athens, having made her home with Mr. and Mrs. F. L. Preston for several years, and was most popular in Athens' society circles. She left here last fall and spent the winter with Mrs. Julia Dew of Logan and left there recently for her home in Pennsylvania.

The groom's home is at Greenfield, Ohio. He is a graduate of Wooster University and has recently been graduated from the theological department of Princeton University.—Ex.

Hear the greatest tragedy literature discussed by a master of the subject at the Opera House, Friday evening, June 15. Seats 75c.